LOCAL MATTERS.

WEATHER PROBABULITIES, April 15, 1879. For the Middle Atlantic States falling barometer, mersseing easterly winds, cloudy and rainy masther, followed on Wednesday by colder -thwest winds.

NARROW ESCAPE OF THE MARKET HOUSE. It was noticed this morning that the hards on the east face of the town clock had stopped at o'clock, while those on the other faces exchange to work as usual. Upon investiganon it was found that the gas bracket which illa. mignies the cast side of the cleck had become displaced, and had burned through the rod lending from the clock to the dial esusing it to part in the middle and drop. The rod is of wood covered with tip, and the gas jet coming istatediately below melted the solder of the tin and burned the wood. It is supposed that the seldent was caused by the bell rope coming in contact with the bracket during the tinging of the alarm of fire at 12.45 o'clock. Had the tope enuglit fire the flames would doubtless have been carried to the bell deck above and the steeple destroyed or seriously damaged.

FIRE. - About a quarter of one o'clock this morning, a fire broke out in a small frame house on Washington street, south of Frankin, and in a short time spread to the adjoining house, also a frame. Both houses were so light that they burned like tinder, and illuminated the whole southern portion of the city. The firemen responded promptly, but owing to the distance and the very inflamable nature of the buildings but little could be done except preventing the spread of the flunes. The building in which the fice originated was vacant and it is supposed that it was set on fire. It was owned by John A. Seaton, colored, and was insured for \$300 the Virginia Fire and Marine Company, Jane v & Son, agents. The other house was award and occupied by T. Binks, colored, and was not in ured.

CORPORATION COURT-Judge E. M. Lowe essiling -Continuation of gesterday's proceed

S. Dalham vs. Grorjin, Mitchell & Co., caso and attachment; jury and vordent for defendants as i motion for new trial. To-DAY .- Vaircus fi luciary accounts were

detail to be recorded. The will of W. B. Richards, deceased, was ally proven and admitted to record.

South & Payne vs. Horace S. Johnstot; re-Bollam vs. Grotyan, Mirchell & Co.; union for new trial overraled and judgment

The usual allowances were made to jurors, &s.

FILERION OF VESTRYMEN, -At an election tar Vestrymen of Grace Church, held last creater, the following gentlemen were duly sisciot: Dr. Wm. Gibson, Wm. A. Smoot, H. H. Service, H. Aopieh, A. W. Deahl, Chas. King, Alex. McBurney, George Me-Eurney, sr., W. H. P. Betkley, James F. Mair and George Dadey.

At St. Pau's Can oh the following Vestry men were cheesed: A. Melano, John A. Dixon, John H. Smoot, Gao. Johnston, S. F. Gregory, John W. Greec, Wm. H. Marburg, J. timil, Edward L. Daiogerfield, P. B. Hose, 11 D. Corse and Charles S. Taylor, Sr.

ATTEMPT TO DROWN .- On Sunday morning bur young tach hired a boat from Mr. Robey of Washington for a trip down the river. Oa metricine, between twelve and one o'clock that night, Mr. Henry Lawrence, 19ho was standing at the Ferry what, heard them quarreibur, as they passed. In a lew minutes one t the party was thrown overboard and the thers rowed ashere and abandoning the boat, fled. Mr. Lawrence rescued the man in the water and brought tim to shore. He rofused tagged his name, but said that he was a beer to der, in Washington, Mr. Hobey sent down ber the heat resterday.

THE CANAL - The leak at Six Locks, on the br-apeake and Ohio Canal, has been repaired.

The Comberland News says: Sriday a large mass of overhanging rock on the bean side of the tow path of the canal, just slow Little Orleans, became detatched and fell ato the channel, completely blocking the way. A torce of hands under Superintendent Hamand immediate y went to work and succeeded a removing the obstruction by Saturday afternoon. It was found necessary to use position in emoving the rock, and the debris was depositat an the tow-path to be used as facing.

Pot on Report. -The following esses were enerted this merning:

Melinda Shor', colored, for being drank and deorderly on the street, was fined and dis-

A young man, for disorderly conduct, had there pestponed until to morrow morning. Officer Walker found a pair of pants on l'atrick street, near Grace church, on Saturday might, and returned them to the Station House.

COLORED CONSERVATIVES .- The colored conservative club met last night and reorganand by the re election of the officers of last

A committee was appointed to call on the Uny Superistendent and assertain the terms upon which new members could be elected. After transacting some routine business they adjourned, sat jest to the call of the president, E. B. Herk ns.

l'ERSONAL - A report has been received here that Rev. Mr. Sharp, who has been called to, and accepted the charge of Grace church, in this city, has been taken seriously ill in Pittsbarg, while en route for his new position. Among the arrivals in Richmond yesterday

Kere Messrs, Hugh Latham, Charles Goodrich and W. W. Sherwood of this city. to attend hesessions of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows.

HAID ON KENO. - Officers Tomlin, Goodrich sai Henry, armed with a warrant from Mayor K mper, issued on complaint of officer C Lyles, raded a gaming house at the fish wharf, this morning about ten o'clock, and captured a mantity of the implements used in playing teno, hezard, &c. A portion of the parapherusin had been removed and no men were found

Fish Report. - Siece yes erday's report the recapts of shad have been about the same as then reported, but there has been an increase of horings. About 1,000 shad were sold at \$14.\$16} per hundred, and 70,000 berrings brought \$74a\$8 per thousand.

THE PASSOVER .- The Hebrew Festival of the l'assover which began a week ago, c'osed last evening. The synagozuo in this city, baese without a rabbi, the least has not been senerally observed this year by the Helrows

PRISEYTERY OF CHESAPEAKE, - As noticed restorday the Presbytery of Chesapeake will

meet in the Second Presbyterian Church of the city to night at 7:30 o'elcok. FINCE many Alexandrians and Virginians

ton and positively pay more for garments than the like can be procured here. I will pay to any person buying from me, his expenses to Washtegton, for examination, to his entire satisfac tion, and if my Ciothing, either in ordinary or tine, according to quality and manufacture, bre not the cheapest I will refund the money. S. DEALHAM,

ap 11-1m

n the room.

62 King st., cor. Fairfex. HE MARQUIS .- The Marquis Spring Ulster entirely new in cut, single breasted, button to the throat, with genuine buffalo horn but tons, can only be had at KATZENSTEIN'S Fashocable Clothing E-tablishment, 310 7th street uear Pennsylvania Avenue. Prica from \$9.00

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A steam dredge is at work, despecing and cleaning out the docks at Agnew's out whatf. Much complaint is made by the fish dealers and others at Fishtowa of the dangerous condition of the plank walk, at the head of Queen street dock.

The Alexandria Guards, together with the Butler Zouaves, of Washington, both colored organizations, will have a dress parade and drill, at the Fair Grounds, to-morrow evening.

The postoffice at Farnham, Richmond county, Va., has been discontinued for want of a candidate; the papers go to Emmerton. Mrs. Jennie Davis has been appointed postmaster at Occquan. Prince William ecuaty, Va., vice Wm. J. Hammill, deceased.

He is a fool. We mean the man, who lets bis baby cry all night in the arms of its mother, and does not sleep a wick, when Dr. Buli' Baby Syrup will quiet the baby by relieving its pain; a bottle sesting only 25a.

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hing in the tinware line, call on Stansbury & Bro., corner King and Columbus sts. dec 21 PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, APRIL 15, 1879.

Sun rises...... 5 25 | Sun sets...... 6 85 ARRIVED. Str J W Thompson, lower Pt'c, to F A Reed. Schr Herschel, Stonington, to American Coal Company. Schr J J Ward, New York, to American Coal Company. Schr Flying Scud, Mattaponi, to Perry, Smoot

CLEARED. Str Authracite, Philadelphia, by F A Reed. Str Mattano, lower Pt'c, by J Broders & Co. Schr Herschel, Bandy Hook, by American

Coal Co. Schr J J Ward, Allyn's Point, by American Coal Co. Schr B H Jones, Poughkeepsie, (13) by Hamp & Balt Co.

Schr Morning Star, Philadelphia, by Wm A Smoot. PASSED UP.

Str Mary C, Beaufort, for Washington; schrak E Birdzall, Chas Moore, Oakes Ames, W R Huston, W D Hilton and W D Marvell, all for MEMORANDA.

Schr Clara & Simpson cleared from Windsor or this port 9th. Schr W H Perry, Georgetown, at N Y 14th. Schr Ada S. Allen cleared from Windsor for this port 9th.

Schrs Florence Dean and D M Anthony cleared from Boston for Georgetown 12th.
Schrs Stephen Morris, Boston for Georgetown,
and Joshus S. Bragdon, Weymouth for do, at
Vineyard Haven 13th.

NEW SERIAL STORY BY JEAN IN-GELOW.—A new serial story by Jean In-gleow will begin in the number of LITTELL'S LIVING AGE for the week ending April 26th. It is published from the author's advance sheets, and opens in a very interesting way. The pro-eress of a new story by this popular writer will be eagerly watched.

A new volume of The Living Age, by the way, began with the first number of April, affording a good time for the beginning of new subscriptions.

For they two numbers of sixty-four large pages each, (or more than 3,000 pages a year), the subscription price (\$8) is low; while for \$10.00 the publishers offer to send any one of the American 34 monthlies or weeklies with The Living Age for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Co., Boslt. ton, publishers.

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Having taken out letters of administration on the estate of the late Mrs. ADELINE B. LAMBERT, this is to give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to come terward and make immediate settlement, and all those having claims to produce the same for payment.
apl5-1m WM. H. LAMBERT, Adm'r.

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7000 WHITE OAK CROSS TIES, 81 feet long, 7 inches thick, 7 inches and upward face, bark off and ends square.

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J. C. MILBURN. ap 14 OPENED TO-DAY, (March 2let) a large casing casing case ment of seasonable goods: Spring Casing Casing Case and all in want of goods to give me an early call.

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Family Grocers and Tea Dealers, Prince and Royal streets. feb 22 WOODEN PLATES WOODEN PLATES!
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63 King street. 10 BOXES OREAM OREESE just receive For a fine nobby suit of CLOTHING DEALHAM, 62 King st., corner Fairfax.

CONGRESSIONAL. WASHINGTON, April 15.

SENATE. The Secretary of the Senate, before the reading of the jourca!, read the following note from the Vies President :

To the Secretary of the Senate:

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 15, 1879. Sin: A telegram received this morning advises me of the dangerous illness of a sister and summons me home. It will, therefore, be necessary for the Senate on its meeting to day to elect a president pro fem.

Respectfally. W. A. WHEELER, President, cto.

The Sceretary asked what was the pleasure of the Senate? Mr. Davis, of W. Va., said that as there was a comparatively small number of senators

in attendance he hoped there would be a delay of proceedings in order to enable absenters to

At the suggestion of Mr. Wallace, The Senate took an informal recess. It was discovered at the time the note was

read that there were a larger number of repub. | cities. lican than democratic members present. A messenger was dispatched for Senater Thurman, whom the democra's intended to

elect president pro tem. At twenty minutes past twelve, however, that gentleman entered the chamoer, he having been on his way to the Capitel while the messenger was in search of him.

The Senate having resumed its session Mr. Bayard offered the following resolution : Resolved, That in the absence of the Vice President Hon, A. G. Thurman be, and he is hereby, chosen President of the Senate pro tem. Mr. Authory moved to strike out the name of Mr. Thurman and insert that of Hon. Thos.

W. Ferry. This amendment was disagreed to- year 18, nays 28, and

The resolution was then passed. Mr. Thurman was conducted to the chair by Mr. Ferry, the former remarking to the latter on his way thither, "Turn about is fair play." Mr. Thurman, on taking the chair, said:

Senators: It is only necessary for me to say in the fewest possible words I sireerely thank you for this mark of your confidence.

The journal of yesterday was then read. The Army Apprepriation bill being again

aken up Mr. Logan addressed the Senate. He thought the question now before the body more important than any other that had arisen since 1861. when the same sentiments which prompted the present legislation expressed by many of the same men now uttering them led to war. He denounced the proposed legislation as bad in itself and as being attempted by unparliamentary practices. If republicans had erred in the same direction, by placing general legislation on appropriation bills, this was no excuse for it being done now, but he denied that the precedents which has been cited in support of the action of the opposite side were similar in character to this attempt. The spirit in which legislation was attached to appropriation bills was of more consequence than the legislation itself. The republicans had passed laws to save the Govern. ment, but the present attempt was to disable the Government and though its immediate rasult would not be fatal it would open the way to further irregularities, which would overthrow our institutions. He defended the propriety of the use of the veto power, and quoted President Pierce's mersage, accompanging his veto of a bill in 1855, to show that democratic doctrine had then guarded the independence of the executive as a wholesome check on legislation. This legislation would not stand on its merits, but its supportera felt obliged to resort to violent

means to pass what was repugnat to all friends of good government. The people would not be deceived by such methods. All the privisions now advocated to protect All the privisions now advecated to protect the ballot had been passed by the regulticans of INSTITUTES OF together with another provision to keep peace at the polls, which later was now to be stricken out, making the whole law inoperative. What good citizen would of jeet to having peace at the polls and why should not outrage be suppressed on election days as well as other days. Can it be that the promoters of this bill have an interest in disorder at the polls in their section: He thought it looked so. An officer of the Publisher. pesca is not an object of terror or hate to good men. There are already laws preventing military interference at the polis, and that feet piets assortment at shows that the real aim of his bill is to get til of aivil officers of the United States at elections. No provision is now made to prevent the presence of State troops at the polls and the underlying idea is only a new form of the percicious theory of States' tights, which has assumed so many forms to suit the different times at which it has been advocated. The right of the general government to preserve its former days lugitive slaves were recovered from authority of a constitution dominating all the Fillmore's proclamation in 1851, calling for the restoration of a fugitive slave, and then cited been in the days when slaves were pursued by the forces of the general government

own existence could not be abregated. la States which did not r. eognize slavery by what was then recogn z d by the democracy as the States. He had read by the Clerk President the celebrated Burns fugitive slave case, and asked where the doctrine of States' rights had into States whose citizens wished to protect them from degrading bondage,-The same black man one; hunted down now asked protection in rights guaranteed him by WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY KY'OS., law, but states' rights now were set up to take away his protection in the exercise of his privi-

leges. On motion of Mr. Wallace, it was resolved that the Secretary of the Secate wait on the President of the United States and inform him that ic the absence of the Vice President Hen. A. G. Thurman has been elected President pro tem, of the Senate, and that the Secretary make a similar communication to the House of Representatives.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Immediately after the reading of the Journal the speaker proceeded to call committees for

reporte. The only report submitted was from the Committee on Accounts relative to committee eletks. This report was adopted and the House proceeded to the consideration of Senate bill for the perchase or construction of a refrigerating ship for the disinfection of vessels and cargoes, and the bill was passed with a verbal

amendment. Mr. Chalmers, of Miss., rose to a personal explanation in regard to statements made in the Cincinnati Gazette and Inquirer, connecting him with the battle of Fort Pillow and criticising his action at that place, and in regard to a Butterworth. He offered a resolution for the anspeech made in Cincinnati by the Hon. Berj. pointment of a committee of 7 (to be composed of ex-Union soldiers and a majority of shall not be Democrate), to investigate into and report upon the charges made against him in connection with the battle of Fort Pillow. After debate the resolution was laid over

The House then, at 1 45, went into Committee of the Whole on the legislative bill. NOTE.

The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections took up, as the first case on their docket, the memorial of Judge Henry M. Spofford, of Louisiana, claiming to be entitled to the seat in the Senate new occupied by Gov. Kellogg.

After some formal discussion the committee decided to notify the parties to appear in per son or by connect at an adjourned meeting tomerrow for the purpose of presenting argument to the committee on the question whether this case is not res adjudicate.

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sp 12 GEO. E. FRENCH. SAREPTA HALL FRIDAY AND SATURDAY,

April 18 and 19, 1879. SPIRITUALISM EXPOSED. E. S. STARR,

the iliusionist, will expose all the startling manifestations of the mysterious cabinet seances while the doors of the cabinet are open in full gas light, musical instruments flying in the air, the mysterious writing on the state, materializa tion of spirit forms, &c , &c. per for further particulars see bills of the

Tickets, first il bor, 25c; gallery, 15c. Doors open at 7, curtain rises at 8.

By Green & Wise [Real Estate Agents and Actioneera.]
A UCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED
A PREIGHT FROM STATIONS ON THE
VIRGINIA MIDLAND RAILROAD—We will sell at Alexandria, without reserve, on THUESDAY, May 8th, 1879, the above menioned property, at the Virginia Midland depot lot, on Duke street, corner of Fayette, consisting of Respers, Mowers, Carriages, Fertilizars, Tin Ware, Stone Ware, Axle Grease, Trunks, Boxes, Bales and other srticles. Sale to commenco at 4 o'clock p. m.

Excelsior Lawn Mowers JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

HERRERT BRYANT,

No. 25 King street. OFFICE JANNEY CAR COUPLING CO. Alexandria, Va., April 14, 1879.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the JANNEY CAR COUPLING CO. will be held at the office of K. Kemper, No. 56 King st., on WEDNESDAY, April 22d, at 12 o'clock. ap 14-td E. H. JANNEY, President VAN STAN STRATINA, for mending all

kinds of broken articles; also Kay's Coagulice and Herris' Cement. L STABLER & CO. SMALL SUGAR CURED HAMS, Mary-land brand, just received by ap 14 J. C. MILBURN.

FARM BELLS for sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS', mb 13 63 King street. WINEST OLD JAVA COFFEE, for sale

F. J. DAVIDSON,

147 King street. TAVA COFFEE, reasted to-day, and for peale by [mb19] J. C. MILBURN.

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All for sale low by G. WM. KAMSAY, Corner King and St. Asaph streets.

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COMPRESSED COOKED CORNED BEEF. very fine, ready for the table, for sale by the

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KING AND ST. ASAPH STS. CANDIDATES.

[All announcements must invariably be paid for in advance. No notice will be taken of orders unless they are accompanied with the cash.] FELLOW CITIZENS-I beg leave to an-A nounce myself a candidate for the office of OLERK OF THE MARKET, (subject to the decision of a primary election of the Conserva-

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA-1 respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the cilice of Superintendent of the Gas Works in the city of Alexandria, Va., and will conform to the decision of the primary election I remain your most opedient servant ADONIS GLACHET.

for Clerk of the Circuit and County Courts of Alexandria county. MANY VOTERS.

COUNTY CLERKSHIP-Please announce GRORGE OFT WUNDER as a candidate

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RECEIVED THIS DAY: MALAGA GRAPES, NICE BUNCHES. VERY CHOICE FIGS 15e per 15.

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CASHMERES, Brocado Granadines Damass. Silks, Buntings in all shades; also a full line of NEW KID GLOVES. Intending purchasers will find our stock very complete and select. PRETZFELDER & CO.,

ap 7 111 KING STREET. COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE —Having completed my assessment of real estate for the city, the books will be kept open for revision until the FIRST DAY OF MAY, when they will be closed, under the act of the cor poration, for the assessment of property. All persons having lists of personal property left with them to fill up, are requested to return the same to me at my office, No. 1 Market Building Cameron steet, or the clerk of the Corporation Court within ten days, or they will be assessed on the best information that can be be had.

OKORGE DUFFEY,

Com, of Revenue. 50 DOZEN THREE LB CAN TOMA-TOES, of best quality, received this day and for sale at 10: a can by ap 10 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King at.

OFFEES-16 sacks Coffees-Java, Laguay-ra and Rio-received and for sale very low. ap 10 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st. FRESH BARLEY and OATMEAL reap 10 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

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